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Attached for filing is the patent application of:

Date: March 7, 2000

Inventor: NAGATA et al

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Entitled: ACTIVE MATRIX SUSTRATE, METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND IMAGE SENSOR INCORPORATING THE SAME

and including attachments as noted below:

Declaration, Abstract $[\overline{\wedge}]$

Application Number

136 pages of specification and claims (including 41 numbered claims), and

31 sheets of accompanying drawing/s.

Record & return the attached assignment to the undersigned.

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following foreign applications, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application:

Application Number Country Day/Month/Year Filed 11-65520 Japan 11 March 1999 2000-45034 Japan 22 February 2000 , respectively

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Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 120/365 based on the following prior PCT applications designating the U.S.,

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Verified Statement attached establishing "small entity" status (Rules 9 & 27)

The Examiner's attention is directed to the prior art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or Examiner for the reasons stated therein.

Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee below.

Also attached

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